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Societies.

IMP. O. R. M.

SHILL Bull Titbe No. 22, Improved Order of Red Men, meets every second and fourth Friday evening of each month at Davenport's Hall Visiting brethren are fraternally invited to be present at the councils of the tribe, J D Wiggins, C of R C H Thompson, Sachem

A. F. & A. M.

Minnekadusa Lodge, No. 192, A. F. & A. M meets in regular communication, Saturday even-ing on or before the full moon in each month. members of the order in good and regular stand ing cordially and fraternally invited to attend. J T Keeley, W M W. W. THOMPSON, Sec'r.

O. E. S.

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I. O. O. F. Valentine Lodge No. 205 I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday evening. Visiting brothers cordtally nyited to attend our meetings. J. T. Keeley, N. G. WESLEY HOLSCHAW, Sec'y.

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AMENDMENTS

TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE

Which will be Submit ted to the Peaple for their Approval or Disapproval at the Next General Election - Stady Them.

The following proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Mebraska, as hereinafter set forth in full. are submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska, to be voted upon at the general election to be held. Tuesday, November 3, A. D., 1896:

A joint resolution proposing to amend sections two (2), four (4), and five (5,) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to number of judges of the supreme court and their term of office.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section two (2) of article mx (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as fol-

Section 2. The supreme court shall until otherwise provided by law, consist of five (5) judges, a majority of whom shall be necessary to form a quorum or to pronounce a decision. It shall have original jurisdiction in cases relating to revenue, civil cases in which the state shall be a party, mandamus. que' warranto, habeas corpus, and such appellate jurisdiction, as may be provided by

Section 2. That section four (4) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, be amended so as to read as fol-Section 4. The indges of the supreme state at large, and their term of office ex-cept as hereinafter provided, shall be for a period of not less than five (5) years as the egislature may prescribe. Section 3. That section five (5) of artice six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, be amended to read as follows:

Section 5: At the first general election to his field in the year 1896, there shall be elected two (2) judges of the supreme court one of whom shall be elected for a term of two (2) years, one for the term of four (4) years, and at each general election there-sfter, there shall be elected one judge of the supreme court for the term of five years, unless otherwise provided by Provided; that the judges of the sugraine court whose terms have not expired at the time of holding the general election of 1896, shall continue to hold their office for the remainder of the term for they were respectively commis-

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A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section thirteen (13) of article six of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to compensation of supreme and district court

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State oft Nebraska: Section 1: That section thirteen (13) of article six (8) of the Constitution of the State of Nebra ka be amended so as to read as fol

Nec: 13 The judges of the supreme and dispret courts shall receive for their services su-Ecompensation as may be provided by law, payable quarterly. The registature shall at its first session after the adoption of this amendment, three-fifths of the members elected to each house concurring, establish their compensation. The compensation so es-tablished shall not be changed oftener than once in four years, and in no event unless two-thirds of the members elected to each house of the legi-lature concur

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amend section twenty-four (24) of antiple five (5)) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to compensation of the officers of the executive department

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section twenty-four (24) of article five (5) of the Constitution of the State of Neoraska be amended to read as fol-Section 24. The officers of the executive department of the state government shall receive for their services. a compensation to be established by law, whith shall be upither increased nor diminished during the serm for which they shall have been commissioned and they shall not receive to their own use any fees, costs, interests, upon public moneys in their hands or under their control, perquisites of office or other compensation and all fees that may hereafter be payable by law for services performed by an officer provided for in this article shall be paid in advance into the this article shall be paid in advance into the state treasury. The legislature shall at its first session after the adoption of this amendment, three fifths of the members elected to each, house of the legislature concurring, establish the salaries of the officers named in this article. The compen ation so established shall not be changed oftener than once in four years and in no oftener than once in four years and in no event unless two; thirds of the members alcoted to each house of the legislature concur

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A joint resolution proposing to amend section one (1), of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to judicial power.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 11. That section one (1) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the Stare of Nebraska be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The judicial power of this state
shall be vested in a supreme court, district
courts, county courts justices of the peace, police-magistrates, and in such other courts difference to the supreme court as may be created by law in which two-thirds of the members elected to each house

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A joint resolution proposing to amend section eleven (11) of article size (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to increase in number of supreme and district court

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska:

Section 1. That section eleven (11) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as fol-

Bection 11. The legislature, whenever twothirds of the members elected to each house
shall concur therein, may, in or after the year
one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,
and not oftener than once in every four years,
increase the number of judges of supreme and district courts, and the judical
districts of the state. Such districts shall
be formed of compact territory, and
bounded by county lines; and such insrease, or any change in the boundaries
of a district, shall not vacate the office of any
judge. Approved March 30, A. D. 1895.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section six (6) of article one (1) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska,

relating to trial by jury.

Be it received and enseted by the Legislature of the State of Vebraska:

Section 1. That section six (6), article one (1) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as follows: Section 6. The right of trial by jury shall remain inviolate, but the legis'ature may provide that in civ., actions five-sixths of the jury may render a verdict, and the legislature may also anthorize trial by a jury of a less number than twelve men, in courts inferior to the dis-Approved March 29, A D. 1895.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section one (1) of article five (5) of the Constitution of Nebraska, relating to officers of the executive depart-

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section one (1) of article five (5) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as fol-Section 1. The executive department shall consist of a governor, lientenant-governor, secretary of state, auditor of public accounts, treasurer, superintendent of public inattorney general, commissioner lands and buildings, and three of public railroad commissioners, each of whom, except the said railroad commissioners, shall hold his office for a term of two years, from the first Thursday after the first Tuesday in January, after his election, and until his successor is elected and qualified. Each railroad commissioner shall hold his office for a term of missioner shall hold his office for a term of missioner shall hold his office for a term of three years beginning on the first Thursday after the first Tuesday in January after his election, and until his successor is elected and quaified; Provided, however, That at the first general election held after the adoption of this amendment there shall be elected three railroad commissioners, one for the revised of the state of the commissioners, one for the period of one year, one for the period of two years, and one for the period of three years. The gov-ernor, secretary of state, auditor of public accounts; and treasurer shall reside at the capital during their term of office; they shall keep the public records, books and papers there and shall perform such duties as may be required by law. Approved March 30, A. D. 1895.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section twenty-six (26) of article five (5) of 'the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, limiting the number of executive state officers.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section twenty-six (26) of article five (5) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as

Section: 26. No other executive state officers except those named in section one (1) of this article shall be created, except by an act of the legislature which is concurred in by not less than three-fourths of the members elected to each house Provided, That any office created by an act of the legislature may be abolished by legislature, two-thirds of the members elected to each house thereof concur-

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amend section nine (9) of article eight to the land office and to this office at and Receiver (8) of the Constitution of the State of once for correction. Nebraska, providing for the investment i of the permanent educational funds of

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section nine (9) of article eight (8) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as fol-Section 9. All fun's belonging to the state for educational purposes, the interest and income whereof only are to be used, shall be deemed trust funds held by the state, and the state shall supply all losses thereof that may in any manner accrue, so that the same shall remain forever inviolate and undiminished, and shall not be invested or loaned except on United States or state securities, or registered county bonds or registered school district bonds of A joint resolution proposing to this state, and such funds with the interest and income thereof are hereby solemnly pledged for the purposes for which they are granted and set apart, and shall not be transferred to any other fund for other

Provided, The board created by section 1 of this article is empowered to sell from time to time any of the securities belonging to the permanent school fund and invest the proceeds arising therefrom in any of the securities enumerated in this section bear-ing a higher rate of interest. whenever an opportunity for better investment is pre-

And provided further, That when any warrant upon the state treasurer regularly issued in pursuance of an appropriation by the legislature and secured by the levy of a tax for its payment, shall be presented to the state treasurer for payment, and there shall not be any money in the proper fund to pay such warrant, the board created by section I of this article may direct the state treasurer to pay the amount due on such warrant from moneys in his lands belonging to the permanent school fund of the state, and he shall hold said warrant as an in-vestment of said permanent school fund. Approved March 29, A. D. 1895,

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Nebraska by adding a new section to article twelve (12) of said constitution to be numbered section two (2) relative to the merging of the government of cities of the metropolitan class and the government of the counties wherein such cities are located,

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That article twelve (12) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended by adding to said article a new sec-tion to be numbered section two (2) to read section 2. The government of any city of the metropolitan class and the government of the county in which it is located may be merged wholly or in part when a proposition so to do has been submitted by authority of law to the voters of such city and county and re-ceived the assent of a majority of the votes cast in such city and also a majority of the votes cast in the county exclusive of those cast in such metropolitan city at such

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A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section six (6) of article seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, prescribing the manner in which votes shall be cast. Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislat-ure of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section six (6) of article seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as fol-Section 6. All votes shall be by ballot, or such other method as may be prescribed by law. provided the secrecy of voting be

A joint resolution proposing to amend section two (2) of article fourteen (14) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relative to donations to works of internal improvement and

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manufactories.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Leg-islature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section two (2) of article fourteen (14) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska; be amended to read as follows: Sec. 2 No city, county, town, precinct,

municipality, or other subdivision of the state, shall ever make donations to any works of internal improvement, or manufactory, unless a proposition so to do shall have been first submitted to the qualified electors and ratified by a two thirds vote at an election by authority of law; Provided That such donations of a law; Provided That such donations of a county with the donations of such subdivisions in the aggregate shall not exceed ten per cent of the assessed valuation of such county; Provided, further, That any city or county may, by a three-fourths vote, increase such indebtedness five per cent, in addition to such ten per cent and no bonds or evidences of indebtedness so issued shall be valid unless the same shall have endorsed thereon a certificate signed. have endorsed thereon a certificate signed by the secretary and auditor of state, showing that the same is issued pursuant to

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I, J. A. Piper, secretary of state of the state of Nebraska, do hereby certify that the foregoing proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Nebraska are true and correct copies of the original enrolled and engrossed bills, as passed by the Twenty-fourth session of the legislature of the State of Nebraska, as appears from said original bills on file in this office, and that all and each of said proposed amendments are submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Nebraska for their adoption or rejection at the general election to be held on Tuesday, the 3d day of November, A. D., 1896:

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the great seal of the State of Nebraska.

Done at Lincoln this 17th day of July, in the year of our Lord; One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Ninety-Six, of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Twenty-First, and of this state the Thirtieth. (Seal.)

J. A. PIPER. Secretary of State.

these columns will receive a marked copy of the paper which contains first insertion of same. It is the duty of each claimant to examine their notice carefully and should there be

U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebr Notice is hereby given that Laura E, Young formerly Laura E Bishop, of Belle Fourche S. D. has filed notice of intention to make final proof before Register and Receiver at their office in Valentine, Nebr. on Saturday the 12th day of Sept , 1896, on timber culture application No. 750, for the whenels and whesels Sec. 2, Tp 31 n, He names as witnesses: George Shadbolt, George Seager and John Bishop, of Cody, Neb., Bazi! Hunt, of Merriman, Neb. Testimony of Claimant Laura E. Young, formerly Laura E. Bishop will be taken before the Clerk of the District Court of Butte county South

Dakota at Belle Fourche Sept, 5th 1896, C. R. GLOVER, Register. Land Office Valentine, Neb. t. August 10th, 1896. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filled notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and

Receiver at Valentine, Nebraska, on Sept. 19 Pearl O. Porter, of Woodlake, Nebr. H. E. No. 10152 for the 8½ se½ se½ sw¼ Sec. 30, and ne½ ne¾ Sec. 31, Tp, 20, R. 26.w.
He names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of David Hanna, James M. Hanna, Charles A Barnes, John Dale all of Woodlake, Nebr, C R.GLOVER, Register

U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebr.)
August, 13th, 1896, (
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Valentine, Neb., on Sept 18th,

John E. Hendricks, of Cody, Nebr. H. E. No 9413 for the n1/2 self and s1/2 nelf Sec. He names the following witnesses to prove his said land, viz:
Fred L. Rose, Joseph A. Rose, Albert C.
Riemenschneider, Frank L. Reed all of Cody, C. R. GLOVER, Register.

Land. Office, at Valentine, Nebr. ! Aug. 17 1896.)
Notice is also hereby given that the followin g named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Valentine Neb., on Sept, 25th John J. Bothwell, of Pullman, Nebr. H.E. No 8755 for Lot 1, ne nw niene 14 Sec.

19, Tp. 27n, R. 36w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuos residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Geo, H. Howard, Joseph Cotton, David Hilt, John W. McAdams all of Pullman, Neb., also: George H. Howard, of Pullman, Neb.,

H.E. No 9171 for the s1/4 sw1/4 Sec. 20 and s1/4 se1/4 Sec. 19, Tp. 27n, R, 36 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Joseph Cotton, David Hilt, John J. Bothwell John W. McAdams all of Pullman, Neb., aiso:

Mary A. Pullman, of Pullman, Neb. H. E. No, 9919 for the \$1/4 se1/4 se1/4 sw1/4 Sec. 10, and ne1/4 nw1/4 Sec. 15, Tp, 28n R. 36w.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John J. Bothwell, David Hilt. Chris Nelson, LIVERY FEED AND William A. Metzgar, all of Philman, Nebr. also Lulu E. Hilt, formerly Lulu E. Fender, of Pullman, Neb.

her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:
John J. Bothwell, George H. Howard, John W. McAdants, Joseph Cotton, all of Pullman, Neb. C. R. GLOVER, Register.

Land Office at Valentine, Nebr.

Notice.-Timber Culture.

August 4th 1896. Complaint having been entered at this office by Jacob Klein against John A. Flack for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry No. 8441, dated October 23, 1890, upon the cherry No. 341, dated October 23, 1830, upon the stigness and eighnwis, Sec. 10, Tp. 29. R. 29 in Cherry county. Nebraska with a view to the cancellation of said entry, contestant alleging that the said John A. Flack has wholly failed to that the said John A, Flack has wholly failed to break or cause to be broken any part of said tract and has wholly failed to plantor cause to be planted any part of said tract in trees, tree seeds or cuttings since the date of his said entry and has wholly failed to cure his laches to this date. The said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 10th day of September. 1896 at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and farnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

C. R. ELOVER, Register.

C. R. ELOVER, Register.

C. S. LAND OFFICE, Valentine, Neb., July 24, 1896, i Notice is hereby given that Daniel Egan, of What Cheer, Iowa, has filed notice of intention to make final proof before Register and Receiver at their office in Valentine, Neb., on Saturday the 12th day of Sept., 1896 on timber culture application No. 7402, for the swif Sec 1 To 34 n.

He names as witnesses: micheal McLaughlin James Smith, of Valentine, Michael Kennealey and Bartlett White, of Crookston, Neb. Testimony of claimant, Daniel Egan, will be taken before the Clerk of the District Court at Sigourney, Keokuk county Iowa, Sept. 5th 1896, C. R. GLOVER, Register.

U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebraska. t Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Valentine, Nebraska, on Sept 9th, Andrew J. Wallingford, of Kennedy,

Nebraska. H. E. 8825-for the held Sec 9 Tp. 30 n R 31 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: William H. Wilkinson, Milton Dunham and Nelson S. Rowley, of Kennedy, Neb., Willard S. Morgareidge, of Simeon, Nebr., also. William H. Wilknsion, of Kennedy.

Nebraska. H. E. 8819 for the signwig nigswig Sec 32 Tp 30 He names the following witnesses to prove is continuous residence upon and cultivation said land, viz: Andrew J. Wallingford, Milton Dunham and elson S. Rowley, of Kennedy, Nebr., willard S. Morgareidge, of Simeom, Nebr. C. R. GLOVER, Register

U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebraska, / Notice is hereby given that Minnie Dodds for merly Minnie Ewart, of Eake City, Colorado has filed notice of intention to make final proof be-fore the Register or Receiver at his office in Valentine, Nebr., on Saturday the 25th day of Sept. 896, on timber culture application No 7662, for the \$\\^12 \text{Nw}\\^14 & n \\^12 \text{Sw}\\^14 of section No. 26, in Township No 27, Range No 29 w.

She names as witnesses: Robert Lee, Willie ee, John R, Lee and Thomas McClean all of

Brownlee, Neb.
Testimony of claimant, Minnie Dodds will be aken before the Clerk of the District Court of Hinsdale County, at his office in Lake City Colorado, September 25th 1896. C. R GLOVER, Registesr

U.S. Land Office, Valentine Nebr., (August 21st 1896) Notice is hereby given that the following-nam d settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and hat said proof will be made before Register and Reseiver at Valentine, Nebr., on Oct., 10th Elsworth P. DeFrance, by Lydia De-

France, his wife, of Pass, Nebr., H. E. No 9170 for the self swife & swifeelf sec. 2. Tp. 28, Lot 2 & swlanela Sec. 5. Tp. 27 it 29. He names the following satuesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, Parties having final proof notices in Parties having final proof notic

U.S. Land Office Valentine Nebr. , (Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and A joint resolution proposing to any error the fact should be reported that said proof will be made before Register Receiver at Valentine, Nebr., on Oct., Caroline P. Capwell, of Pullman, Neb. H. E. No 10153 for the stanet4 & stanwt4 see 22

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land. Samuel S. McClean, John L. Roseberry, James Harman, Christian Nelson ali of Pullman, Nebr C. R. GLOVER Register,

Land Office at Valentine Nebraska i Notice is hereby given that the following-nam ed settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Robert Lucas U.S.C.C.C. at Merriman Nebr., on Oct.

Thomas Gates, of Merriman, Neb.. H.E. No 10155 for the sclanela sec 20 & slanwla k s.wla nela sec 28 Tp 29n R 36 w He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence on and cultivation of, John Enlow, of Gordon, Neb., Charles H. Jacobson, Egber's Bonner, Joseph A. Saults of Pullman, Nebr. C. R. GLOVER Register.

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She names the following witnesses to prove the properties of the continuous residence and the continuous residence an [At Geo. Lang's old stand.]

VALENTINE, - - NEBRASKA.

E. BREUKLANDER, BLACKSMITH AND

WACONMAKER.

NON-PARTISAN BRYAN CLUB

Below will be found the constitution of the Non-Partisan William J. Bryan Club, which all who believe in the principles there set forth are respectfully asked to sign. Your membership in this club need not interfere with your connection with any other club of a like nature. Read the constitution and then sign the blank form at the bottom and send to L. C. Sparks, President, Robert Good, Vice President, or D. H. Thurseon, Secretary, of the Club, at Valentine.

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I-NAME. Section 1.-The name of this organization shall be the W. J. Bryan Non-Partisan Free Silver

ARTICLE II-OBJECT.

Section 1 .- The object of this organization shall be to disseminate a silver sentiment, a better understanding of the finance of the country among its members and the people of the county generally, and to promote good citizenonip by purity of purpose and harmony of action and to work for and secure by honest efforts the election of W. J. Bryan as our next President.

ARTICLE III-OFFICERS. Section 1.-The officers of this club shall be a President, Vice President, Treasurer and three

ARTICLE IV-COMMITTEES

Section 1.-There shall be an Executive Committee, composed of the officers of the club, toarrange all preliminaries of the campaign and to fill vacrncies when such occur. It shall be the duty of this committee to scale a program for each meeting.

ARTICLE V-FUNDS Section 1.-All funds for necessary expenses shall be raised by voluntary contribution only.

ARTICLE VI-RULES, Section 1.-Roberts' Rules of Order shall govern the meetings of the club.

ARTICLE VII-TIME OF MEETINGS, Section 1.-This club shall meet every Friday evening at 8 o'clock, and club rooms will be open to visitors at all hours.

ARTICLE VILL-MEMBERSHIP, Each member must identify hunself with the club by signing the Constitution and accept the principles set forth in the same.

SIGN THIS

To the officers and members of the Non - Partisan William J. Bryan Club, Val ntine, Nebraska:

You are hereby authorized to enroll me as a member of your Club and affix my name to the constitution of the same. Respectfully,

State Convention.

A delegate convention of the democrats of the state of Nebraska is hereby called to meet in Omaha on Friday, September 4, A. D. 1896, at 10 a.m., for the purpose of nominating the following candidates: Eight electors for the offices of president and vice president, governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, anditor of public accounts, treasurer, superintendent of public instruction, attorney general, commissioner of public lands and buildings, regent of the state university to fill vacancy, and two judges of the supreme court, contingent upon the adoption of the constitutional amendment, and for the transaction of any other

business that may properly come before it. We invite all democratic citizens of the state, without respect to past political associations or differences, to unite in sending delegates to the

The basis of representation is one delegate for each 100 votes or major fraction thereof cast for Hon. W. J. Bryan at the general election in 1894, each county, however, to have at least one

Cherry and neighboring counties are entitled to delegates as follows:

 Brown
 2
 Keya Paha
 1

 Cherry
 5
 Rock
 2

 Dawes
 7
 Sheridala
 7

 By order of the democratic state central com-C. J. SMYTH, Chairman. LEE HERDMAN, Secretary.

Democrat Congressional Convention. A delegate convention of the democrats of the Sixth congressional district of Nebraska is hereby called to meet in Chadron on Tuesday September 15, A.D. 1896, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it. All democrats of the district, without respect to past political associations or differences, are invited to unite in

sending delegates to this convention. The number of delegates to which each county

In Attendance was	
Banner	Howard
Blaine	l Keya Paha
Boyd	Keith
Box Butte	5 Kimball
Brown	
Buñaio1	
Cheyenne	
Cherry	
Custer	
Dakota	
Dawes	
Dawson	
Denet	2 Sherman
Dixon	
Garfield	
Grant	
Greeley	
Hooker	
Holt1	
By order of the	democratic congression
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